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MEMORANDUM FOR: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, ORE

Subject: Conversation with Rear Admiral Foskett re
C.I.G. Daily and Weekly

1. Admiral Foskett telephoned this morning and of his own volition passed on to us specific comments which the President had made to him in regard to the C.I.G. Daily. The President stated categorically that he considered the Daily "very good" and that it filled a "definite need." He liked the format, with the tabs attached, and had no suggestions to make for any changes.

2. Admiral Foskett usually gives the President his copy of the Daily as soon as it arrives in the afternoon. The President takes it upstairs with him when he leaves his office and usually reads it during the evening. The following morning the President has a conference with Admiral Leahy and Admiral Foskett at 9:15 and the Daily is used as the basis for their discussion of pending foreign problems.

3. I asked Admiral Foskett whether the President had made any comment on the Weekly and he replied in the negative. Admiral Foskett added, however, that he and another Aide always marked up the Weekly for the President and that occasionally articles were subsequently brought up for discussion. I told him that we were anxious to know whether there was a real desire to have material submitted in the form of a weekly publication and he said that he would try to find out.

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